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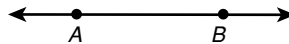
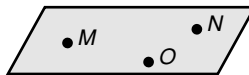
Reading Strategies

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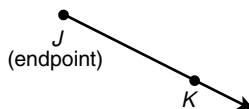
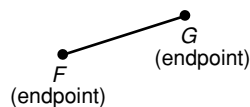
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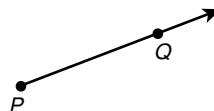
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5. • Y

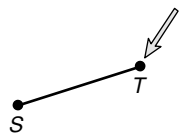
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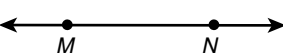
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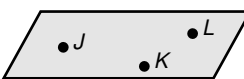
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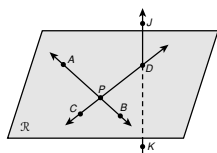
LESSON 1-1 Reteach

Understanding Points, Lines, and Planes continued

Term	Meaning	Model
collinear	points that lie on the same line	
noncollinear	points that do not lie on the same line	
coplanar	points or lines that lie in the same plane	
noncoplanar	points or lines that do not lie in the same plane	

Figures that intersect share a common set of points. In the first model above, \overleftrightarrow{FH} intersects \overleftrightarrow{FG} at point F . In the second model, \overleftrightarrow{XZ} intersects plane WXY at point X .

Use the figure for Exercises 9–14. Name each of the following.



9. three collinear points

10. three noncollinear points

Possible answers: $A, P, \text{ and } B$;
 $C, P, \text{ and } D$; $J, D, \text{ and } K$

Sample answer: $A, P, \text{ and } D$

11. four coplanar points

12. four noncoplanar points

Sample answer: $C, P, B, \text{ and } D$

Sample answer: $J, D, P, \text{ and } B$

13. two lines that intersect \overleftrightarrow{CD}

14. the intersection of \overleftrightarrow{JK} and plane P

\overleftrightarrow{AB} and \overleftrightarrow{JK}

point D

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LESSON 1-1 Challenge

Exploring Relationships

Use the figure of the kite for Exercises 1–4.

1. Name three collinear points that lie in plane P .

X, A, C

2. Name a point that is coplanar with Y and F .

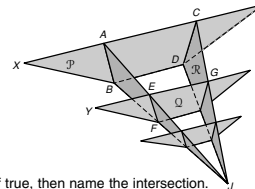
Sample answer: E

3. Name two planes that intersect \overleftrightarrow{CD} .

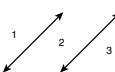
P and R

4. Write True or False: \overleftrightarrow{AE} , \overleftrightarrow{CG} , and \overleftrightarrow{FJ} intersect. If true, then name the intersection. If false, then explain why the lines do not intersect.

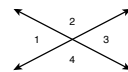
True; the lines intersect at point J .



Lines in a plane divide the plane into **regions**. The number of regions depends on the relationship between the lines. Consider two lines in a plane.



If the lines are parallel, three regions are determined.



If the lines intersect, four regions are determined.

5. a. Complete the table.

Number of lines in a plane	0	1	2	3	4
Greatest number of regions determined	1	2	4	7	11

b. Describe the pattern in the table.

Sample answer:

The pattern is one of increasing differences.

$2 - 1 = 1$ $4 - 2 = 2$ $7 - 4 = 3$ $11 - 7 = 4$

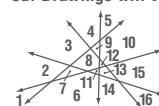
c. Predict the greatest number of regions determined by five lines in a plane.

16 regions ($16 - 11 = 5$)

d. On a separate sheet of paper, make a drawing to verify your prediction from part c.

6. You can use an approach similar to the one in Exercise 5 to investigate the greatest possible number of points of intersection for n lines in a plane. Make a table and look for a pattern. What is the greatest possible number of points of intersection for six lines in a plane?

Answer:
5d. Drawings will vary.



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LESSON 1-1 Problem Solving

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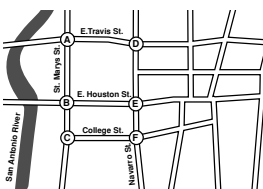
Use the map of part of San Antonio for Exercises 1 and 2.

1. Name a point that appears to be collinear with \overleftrightarrow{EF} . Which streets intersect at this point?
Point D ; E. Travis St. and Navarro St.

2. Explain why point A is NOT collinear with \overleftrightarrow{BE} .
Point A does not lie on the line that contains \overleftrightarrow{BE} .

3. Suppose \overleftrightarrow{UV} represents the pencil that you are using to do your homework and plane P represents the paper that you are writing on. Describe the relationship between \overleftrightarrow{UV} and plane P .

Sample answer: \overleftrightarrow{UV} intersects plane P .



4. Two cyclists start at the same point, but travel along two straight streets in different directions. If they continue, how many times will their paths cross again? Explain.

0 times; if two lines intersect, then they intersect in exactly one point.

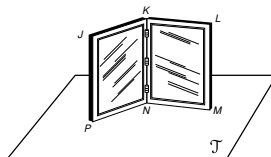
Choose the best answer.

5. In a building, planes W , X , and Y represent each of the three floors; planes Q and R represent the front and back of the building; planes S and T represent the sides. Which is a true statement?
A Planes W and Y intersect in a line.
B Planes Q and X intersect in a line.
C Planes W , X , and T intersect in a point.
D Planes Q , R , and S intersect in a point.

6. Suppose point G represents a duck flying over a lake, points H and J represent two ducks swimming on the lake, and plane L represents the lake. Which is a true statement?
F There are two lines through G and J .
G The line containing G and H lies in plane L .
H G , H , and J are noncoplanar.
J There is exactly one plane containing points G , H , and J .

Use the figure for Exercise 7.

7. A frame holding two pictures sits on a table. Which is NOT a true statement?
A \overleftrightarrow{PN} and \overleftrightarrow{NM} lie in plane T .
B \overleftrightarrow{PN} and \overleftrightarrow{NM} intersect in a point.
C \overleftrightarrow{LM} and N intersect in a line.
D P and \overleftrightarrow{NM} are coplanar.



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2. How are a line and a line segment different?

A line goes on forever in both directions, while a segment has endpoints.

3. How are a line segment and a ray the same?

A ray and a line segment are both parts of a line.

4. How are a line segment and a ray different?

A line segment has 2 endpoints. A ray has 1 endpoint and extends forever in one direction.

Identify the following.

5. $\bullet Y$

point

6.

segment

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ray

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endpoint

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line

10.

plane

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